

# The Daily Gazetteer.

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S the Succession to the Dutchies of BERG and JULIERS is an Affair which becomes every Day more important, and excites the Apprehension of the Publick as well as their Expectation, we presume it may be agreeable to our Readers, to enable them to make a Judg-

ment of the Pretensions of the different Claimants, in a short, but true State of the Case, instead of the lame and imperfect Accounts that have appear'd in News Papers. At the same time we own our Obligation for the following to the *Present State of Germany* (the best that is yet published.) Printed for Mr. Rivington in

London, William, the last Duke of Cleves, Juliers, dying without Issue in 1609, left behind him Sisters, who were married to the Elector of

Neubourg, the Duke of Neubourg (Ancestor to

present Elector Palatine) the Duke of Deux-

, and the Marquis of Burgow. The first for

marrying the eldest Sister, claim'd the whole

Succession. The second form'd the same Preten-

, because the eldest Sister died before her Bro-

ther, and his Wife was the Eldest of the surviving

Sisters. The other two insisted on an equal Par-

to be divided among the four Sisters. Besides

Princes, the Elector of Saxony set on foot an

Pretension; and the Duke of Nevers did the

same. And last of all, the Emperor pretended

those Countries should be sequester'd in his

Power, and disposed of as he judg'd proper. But

he was no Regard had to the Emperor's Preten-

; and his Son Archduke Leopold, whom he

take Possession in his Name, was drove out

the Elector of Brandenbourg, and the Duke of

Nevers.

These two Princes only, maintained their Claim

to the Country; the former being assisted by the Dutch,

the latter by the Spaniards, who were then in

possession of the Netherlands. The Dutch Army

commanded by Prince Maurice of Nassau, and

Spanish, by the Marquis of Spinola. So that

thing which, perhaps, never before happen'd

States and the Spaniards made War upon one

another, in the Name of their Allies, tho' we

see that had been lately made, still continued be-

ing themselves. There was not so much as one

given on either Side. The two Armies in-

diviously avoided meeting one another. The

Armies were spent in taking Towns; so that the

diligent of those two great Generals, was he

made the greatest Progress. Upon one's getting

to a Place, the other did nothing to hinder its

taking; but bent his March full speed to an-

other Place, and seized it, which he kept by Virtue

his being the first Comer.

During these things, a Congress was held at

Denmark, in order to an amicable Accommodation

wixt the chief Claimants; at which the Am-

assadors of France, Great Britain, Spain, and the

States General assisted; but this came to nothing.

last Brandenbourg and Neubourg made an

agreement, and divided these Dominions betwixt

themselves; the former had the Duchy of Cleves,

and the Counties of Mark and Ravensburg; and

latter, the Dutchies of Juliers and Berg, with

small Territory of Ravenstein.

Under this Agreement the two Electors of Bran-

denbourg and Palatine, have lived quietly ever since.

the present Elector Palatine being the last

Male Descendant of the House of Neubourg,

nominated for his Successor the Prince of Sultz-

bach, the nearest of Kin to him, by a collateral

Branch of the Neubourg Family, which, how-

ever, proceeds not from the Lady, by whom the

Juliers Family possesses Juliers and Berg —

Indeed this young Prince, strictly speaking, is not

related to his Electoral Highness.

The King of Prussia forms his Pretensions of

successing, in Right of his Maternal Ancestor, on

the Failure of Heirs in the Elector Palatine.

These Pretensions are strengthened by a Family

Treaty betwixt the Houses of Brandenbourg and

Neubourg, of mutual Succession to the whole Do-  
minions of the last Duke of Cleves, on the Failure  
of either of their Male Issue. This Treaty was  
renewed in 1670. To this last his Electoral High-  
ness perhaps may reply, That his Predecessors could  
not make such a Treaty, and that he has as good a  
Right to annul it, as they had to make it. But  
the particular Reason which is whisper'd at the  
Palatine Court, why this Family Bargain or Treaty  
ought not to take Place, will hardly pass, viz. Be-  
cause it was made over their Cups. If this Reason  
was good, there are very few Contracts, it is to be  
fear'd, made, whether in this Country, or in any  
other, but what would be liable to new Discussion.

To disappoint his Prussian Majesty as far as pos-  
sible, and to procure to the Prince of Sultzbach,  
the entire Dominions now united in the Palatine  
House, his Electoral Highness omits nothing that  
can be done; and the young Heir being under Age,  
has named for his Administrator (and perhaps for  
his Successor, in case he dies before his Majesty)  
Duke Ferdinand of Bavaria, whose House, and  
that of Neubourg, are already knit together by Ties  
of Blood; it is not therefore to be doubted, but  
the Bavarian House will interpose in this Suc-  
cession.

The Dutchies of Juliers and Berg, the Countries  
in Dispute, lying in the Neighbourhood of France  
and the United Provinces, those two Powers are  
nearly interested in the Person who shall succeed to  
them; so that the Issue of this grand Affair does  
not concern the Germanick Body alone, tho' we  
may be sure there is not one Member thereof, that  
is not uneasy at the Thoughts of an unequal Distri-  
bution of Power amongst them. This being the  
Case, according to the present Situation of Affairs  
in Europe, notwithstanding the Justice of his Pre-  
tensions, his Prussian Majesty must rest contented  
with what shall be given him. Happy if he shall  
be able to obtain any thing, in the Way of Ne-  
gotiation; for unless unforeseen Opportunities  
should offer, 'tis in vain for him to try to do him-  
self Justice by Arms; not but those Countries are  
worth fighting for, as they bring in near 200,000 l.  
to the Elector. But the King of Prussia has nei-  
ther Ally nor Well-wisher in the present Affair;  
but, on the contrary, he is surrounded with Neigh-  
bours, who are far from being desirous of con-  
tributing to the Augmentation of a Power, which  
already they look upon with a jealous Eye, and  
think too formidable.

The Author concludes with his private Sentiment,  
That in the general, it would greatly contribute to  
the Advancement of the Protestant Interest, and to  
the Strengthening the Barrier of the Empire against  
France, were those Countries to be possessed by the  
King of Prussia.

## HOME PORTS.

*Portsmouth, Sept. 20.* Since my last came in the  
Mary Stoop, Dunderfield; from Amsterdam; and  
the Little Chitty, Long, from Ivica, bound for the  
Baltick with Salt, who met the Three Friends of and  
from Dublin, John Ivory, the 1st Instant, about 50  
Leagues to the Westward of the Borlings, who had  
sundry Passengers on board for Leghorn, or rather  
Soldiers for Gibraltar. His Majesty's Ship the Shore-  
ham, Capt. Boscowen, is come to Spithead from the  
Eastward. At Spithead now are his Majesty's Ships  
the Princess Amelia, Kent, Elizabeth, Lenox, Sun-  
derland, Augusta, Portland, Lively, Mahone,  
Shoreham, Hound, Spy, Terrible, Salamander and  
Alderney.

On Monday last Alderman Vining was elected  
Mayor of this Borough for the Year ensuing.

*Deal, Sept. 20.* Wind N. Remain the Prince of  
Orange Man of War, with the Allen, Allen, for  
Copenhagen; and the Mary, Perkins, for Ham-  
burgh.

*Gravesend, Sept. 20.* Passed by the Happy Return,  
Mason, the Lady Susanna, Van Creeken; and the  
Hope, Duncker, from Hamburg; the Hope, Nel-  
son; the Concord, Tonnion; the Jane, Heath;  
the Robert, Richardson, from Norway; the Neptune,  
Coverdale; and the Hanover Alliance, Major, from  
Dantick; the Mary, Coats, from Hudson's Bay;

the Imperial Ann, Stock; and the Mary, Jackson,  
from Petersburg; the George, Culmer, from Arch-  
angel; and the Fortune, Sedger, with one large  
Whale from Greenland; two more Ships are ex-  
pected here from the same Place, who had caught  
Five Whales between them.

## L O N D O N.

The Alexander, Capt. Smith, from Cadiz, bound  
to Dunkirk, belonging to Berwick, on the 7th Inst.  
about Four in the Afternoon, ran on a Reef of Rocks  
near Drake's Island in Plymouth Sound. The Cap-  
tain of the Strafford Man of War sent out two Boats  
with 20 Hands, and by the carrying out Anchors  
heaved her off, and got safe into Plymouth Harbour  
that Night without much Damage. The Afflitors,  
during the whole Time, observed too unusual a  
Cheerfulness in the Faces of the Master and Mate,  
which gave them Reason to suspect foul Play.

The Betty of Kinsale, Capt. Hayman, is lost on  
the Coast of Wales.

The Right Hon. Sir Robert Walpole being per-  
fectly recovered from his late Indisposition, waited  
on his Majesty Yesterday at Kensington, and was most  
graciously received; afterwards he returned to his  
House at Chelsea, where 'tis said he will continue  
till Tuesday next.

Yesterday being St. Matthew's Day, the Right  
Hon. the Lord Mayor, and the Governors of Christ's  
Hospital, met in the great Hall of the said Hospital,  
from whence they proceeded to Christ Church and  
heard a Sermon; after which they went to the  
Grammar School, and heard an Oration in Latin,  
and another in English, by the two Head Scholars,  
in Praise of their Benefactors; after which they re-  
turned to the Hall, where an elegant Entertainment  
was provided for them, according to Custom.

Yesterday was held a General Court of the Bank  
of England, when a Dividend of 2 3/4ths per Cent.  
for the half Year, ending at Michaelmas next, was  
unanimously agreed upon.

On Monday next will be issued out at the Pay  
Office, Whitehall, 31 Days Subsistence to his Ma-  
jesty's Forces, from the 24th of September, to the  
24th of October, inclusive.

Yesterday the Right Hon. the Countess of Portland  
came to Town from the Duke of Kent's Seat at  
Wreath in Bedfordshire, to her House in Privy  
Garden.

Since Monday last upwards of 150 Sail of Colliers  
are arrived in the River from Newcastle, and more  
are daily expected.

Yesterday in the Afternoon a Master Plumber in  
White Fryars hang'd himself. His Wife drowned  
herself about 6 Months ago.

The Rev. Mr. Tasker, M. A. is presented to the  
Rectory of Iddeleigh, in the County of Devon and  
Diocese of Exeter, a Living worth 300 l. per Ann.  
void by the Death of the last Incumbent

Last Tuesday William Middleton of the County  
of York, Esq; was married to the Hon. Lady Frances  
Clifford, Daughter to the Right Hon. the Countess  
of Newburgh, a young Lady of great Beauty and  
Merit, with a very great Fortune.

Last Friday died at his House at Ferrybriggs, in  
the County of York, John Lawley, Esq; formerly  
Captain of a Troop in the Royal Regiment of Dra-  
goons, Scots.

Yesterday Morning a Match was run from Ken-  
sington Gravel Pits to Uxbridge, between Mr.  
Seymour's Grey Gelding, Sweep Stakes, and Mr.  
Cornforth's Sorrel Gelding, Chance, for 25 Guineas  
a Side, which was won by Sweep Stakes, by above a  
quarter of a Mile.

The Report of the Nine Malefactors under Sen-  
tence of Death in Newgate, will not be made to his  
Majesty till after the next Sessions at the Old  
Baily.

The Right Hon. Sir Charles Wager is greatly  
indisposed at his House at the Admiralty Office.

Yesterday Morning the Right Hon. the Earl of  
Godolphin, and several other Persons of Distinction,  
set out for Newmarket, in order to be present at the  
ensuing Meeting, which begins on the second of  
October next.

Casualties,

Casualties, Christnings, and Burials last Week.  
Hanged themselves 2, one buried at Christ Church in London, and one at St. Martin in the Fields. Killed 2, one buried at St. George in Southwark, and one at St. Dunstan at Stepney.

Christned	150	Buried	194
Females	158	Females	217
In all	308	In all	411
Decreased in the Burials this Week 55.			
Whereof have died,			
Under 2 Years of Age	166	Forty and Fifty	31
Between 2 and 5	38	Fifty and Sixty	32
Five and Ten	14	Sixty and Seventy	24
Ten and Twenty	16	Seventy and Eighty	17
Twenty and Thirty	28	Eighty and Ninety	10
Thirty and Forty	34	Ninety and a Hundred	1

High Water this Day } Morning | Evening  
at London Bridge. } 05 12 | 05 32

Bank Stock 144 5-8ths. India 171 1-half. South Sea 102 1-4th. Old Annuity 112 1-half. New ditto 110 1-half. Three per Cent. 105 1-4th to 1-half. 7 per Cent. Loan 109 5-8ths. Ditto 5 per Cent. 99 1-4th. Royal Assurance 108 1-4th to 1-half. London Assurance 14 7-8ths. Afric 14. India Bonds 6 l. 16 s. Prem. South Sea ditto, 2 l. 7 s. Premium. New Bank Circulation 108. Prem. Salt Tallies 1-half to 2 1-half Premium. English Copper 3 l. 5 s. Welsh ditto 15 s. Three 1-half per Cent. Exchequer Orders 5 1-half per Cent. Prem. Three per Cent. ditto 1 5-8ths per Cent. Premium. Million Bank 120.

General Post Office, London, Sept. 13, 1738.

WHEREAS the Post Boy carrying the Bristol Mail from London, was set upon and robbed by three Men on Horseback and one on Foot, about Three of the Clock this Morning, between Knightsbridge and Kensington, who carried off the BRISTOL, BATH, HEREFORD, LEOMINSTER and PRESTON BAGS.

The Postmaster General thinks proper to make it publicly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Persons who committed this Robbery, or any of them, will, upon Conviction, be intituled to a Reward of Two hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery, shall make a Discovery of the Persons (or any of them) who committed the Fact, such Accomplice will be intituled to the said Reward of Two hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Postmaster General.

John Jesse, Cl.

General Post Office, Aug. 27, 1738.

WHEREAS the Post Boy carrying the North Mail from London, was set upon and robbed by a single Person on foot, this Morning between the Hours of Two and Three, on this Side Kingsland, near London.

The Post Master General thinks proper to make it publicly known, that whoever shall apprehend the Person who committed this Robbery, will, upon Conviction, be intituled to a Reward of Two Hundred Pounds, besides the Reward by Act of Parliament for apprehending of Highwaymen; or if any Accomplice in the said Robbery shall make a Discovery of the Person who committed the Fact, such Accomplice will be intituled to the said Reward of Two hundred Pounds, and also have his Majesty's most gracious Pardon.

By Order of the Post Master General

John Jesse, Cl.

The Person who committed this Robbery, is described to be a middle-size'd Man, bad on a light colour'd close-bodied Coat, with close Sleeves, and a full Rob Wig, pretty light, and a Paper Mask over his Face; he carried intirely off the Five following Bags, viz. Hertford, Peterborough, Newcastle, Louth and Boston, and likewise took the greatest Part of the Letters out of the Enfield, Ware, St. Ives, and Royston Bags.

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